

**ENR 1.11 ADDRESSING OF FLIGHT PLAN MESSAGES**

Flight movement messages relating to traffic into or via the Bahrain FIR shall be addressed as stated below in order to warrant correct relay and delivery

*Note: Flight movement messages in this context comprise flight plan messages, amendment messages relating thereto and flight plan cancellation messages. ICAO ATM-DOC 4444, chapter 11 para. 11.2.1.1.3 refers.*

**1. AFTN ADDRESSES****1.1 Category of flight (IFR,VFR or both)**

All Flight Plans and Departure messages for flights operating through or within the Bahrain FIR must include addressees **OBBBZQZX, OEDFZPZX**.

1.2 All flight Plans inbound and alternate to Doha must include both **OTBDZTZX** and **OTBDYWYX** among the Address Groups.

1.3 All Non Schedule Flights landing Doha to include address **OTBDFDPX** in their Flight Plan's address.

1.4 Operators intending to fly ATS Routes A791, UP559, UN318, UL768, M600 and N929 North of Qatar between Bahrain and Emirates FIRs and vice versa are required to include the AFTN addressees **OTBDYFYX** and **OTBDYWYX** in the relevant Flight Plan at all times.

1.5 Operators intending to fly ATS Route M320 to Kuwait to include AFTN address OEDFZPZX in flight plan at all times.

1.6 All aircraft operators intending to use Bahrain International Airport as a departure aerodrome must include the addressee **OBBIZPZX** in their flight plan.

1.7 All flights inbound from the west through JEDDAH FIR landing or overflying BAHRAIN at FL 240 or below are requested to include **OEDFZAZX** in the address of FPL and all associated messages.

1.8 Sakhir Airbase installed new AFTN addresses necessary for flight planning purposes and other relevant issues as follows: **OBKHZTZX** for Control Tower, **OBKHZPZX** for AIS/COMMS and **OBKHIFYX** for Service Address.

1.9 When filing departure flight plans from Doha, do not include DOH or DCT before the initial requested route clearance of item 15 in ICAO FPL. ←